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G. E. NOBLE,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, August 24, 1889. 383

## NOTICE.

### RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$250 in any one day.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Forwarding Savings Bank Business in Hongkong will be forwarded by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the  
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,  
G. E. NOBLE,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1890. 764

## Intimations.

### CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

#### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Eighty-third Annual Meeting of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Undersecretary, at 12 o'clock (noon), on MONDAY, the 28th October 1889.  
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 28th instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
General Agents.  
CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.  
Hongkong, October 7, 1889. 1083

### HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE Annual General Meeting of the MEMBERS of the JOCKEY CLUB will take place in the CHAMBER OF COMMONS ROOMS, City Hall, on WEDNESDAY, 28th October, at 4 p.m.

By Order,  
E. H. GORE-BOOTH,  
Clerk of the Course.  
Hongkong, October 18, 1889. 1093

## Intimations.

### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

#### ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

In the Matter of the Companies Ordinances 1877 and 1885.

AND  
In the Matter of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED AND REDUCED.

NOTICE is hereby given that by an Order made by His Honour the Acting Judge of the Supreme Court of Hongkong, on the 17th day of October, 1889, in the above-mentioned matter, it was ordered that the Special Resolution passed at a General Meeting of the said Company held on the 2nd July, 1889, and duly confirmed at a General Meeting of the said Company held on the 17th July, 1889, and which Resolution was in the words following, namely: "That the Capital be Reduced from \$1,700,000 divided into 17,000 shares of \$100 each to \$1,000,000 divided into 10,000 shares of \$100 each, and that each reduction be effected by returning to the Persons who on the 22nd July, 1889, shall be the holders of the 17,000 shares that have been issued the sum of \$700,000 part of the paid-up Capital rateably according to the number of shares held by them and in equal proportions," be confirmed. And it was ordered that the Company from and after the 17th November, 1889, be at liberty to discontinue the addition to its name of the words "and Reduced."

A Notice is hereby given that the said Order has been produced to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies and a copy thereof has been delivered to him together with a minute approved by the said Judge in the words and figures following, namely: "The Capital of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited and Reduced, is \$1,000,000 divided into 10,000 shares of \$100 each, on each of which \$30 has been and is to be deemed to be fully paid up, and such Order and Minute have been duly registered by the said Registrar of Joint Stock Companies."

Dated the 18th day of October, 1889.

WOTTON & DEACON,  
Solicitors for the said Company.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND on account of 1889 at the rate of SEVENTY CENTS per TEN DOLLAR SHARE, (or 7% on the Capital of the Company) will be Payable at the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank on and after the 5th Proximo, on WARRANTS to be obtained of the Undersecretary.

THE RECEIPT OF SHARES will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, the 1st Proximo, till TUESDAY, the 5th Proximo, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order,  
T. H. TALBOT,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, October 23, 1889. 2051

### A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.

#### NEW SEASON'S CHRISTMAS CARDS.

OUR FIRST SHIPMENTS have arrived. Early Inspection is invited, as further SUPPLIES will be delayed by the Sitikes in London.

Hongkong, October 15, 1889. 1976

### THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

#### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

IT is hereby notified that a CALL of (\$4) FOUR DOLLARS per SHARE, is Payable at the Hongkong & Shanghai BANKING CORPORATION, on or before the 16th November, 1889.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
CHAS. F. HARTON,  
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, October 15, 1889. 1082

### THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £25,000,000.  
PAID-UP CAPITAL, £5,000,000.  
RESERVE FUND, £1,250,000.

Board of Directors:  
Messrs. J. J. KESWICK,  
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E. A. SOLOMON, Esq.,  
J. S. MOSES, Esq.,  
S. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq.,  
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A SHELTON ROOPER,  
Secretary.  
Victoria Buildings,  
Hongkong, 3rd May, 1889. 844

No. 73, WYNDHAM STREET, BOARD AND RESIDENCE, FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN. MODERATE TERMS.

Mrs. KJELLER,  
Proprietress.  
Hongkong, July 15, 1889. 135

## Business Notices.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

SELECTED YORK LAMBS.  
FINEST STREAKY BACON.  
BEST ENGLISH CHEESE.

FENDERS AND FIRE IRONS.  
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PICTURE WIRE AND FASTENERS.  
POCKET KNIVES.  
NEW TENNIS SHIRTS.  
NEW BOOKS.

### CHRISTMAS CARDS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, October 24, 1889. 2038

### Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THE Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTEL is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and SMOKE ROOMS. The HOTEL is especially adapted for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,  
Proprietors.  
Hongkong, September 16, 1889. 1818

### W. POWELL & Co.

HAVE RECEIVED EX STEAMSHIP SARDON.  
AN ENTIRELY NEW STOCK OF  
KEROSENE AND COAL HEATING STOVES,  
very suitable for Drying Rooms;

Also,  
KEROSENE AND COAL COOKING STOVES  
in all Sizes.

W. POWELL & Co.  
VICTORIA EXCHANGE, October 4, 1889. 1915

### ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outfitters.

WE HAVE JUST OPENED OUT OUR  
NEW AUTUMN GOODS,  
consisting of  
A LARGE and CHOICE SELECTION of COATINGS for MORNINGS and EVENING DRESS.

A very Stylish Lot of TWEEDS, New in Design and Material, and a varied Assortment of TROUSERS in all the Newest Patterns.

QUEEN'S ROAD (opposite HONGKONG HOTEL),  
Hongkong, September 14, 1889. 1790

### Intimations.

#### HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE KWONG KWAN YEEN CUPS.  
THE 2nd SEASON of the THIRD CUP.  
PETITION will be shot off NEXT SATURDAY, 26th instant, at 2.45 p.m., commencing at 900 Yards. Entries for this Stage close on Friday, 25th instant, at 5 p.m. Entrance Fee 20 Cents.

A. SHIMMHOOPER,  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, October 21, 1889. 2016

#### GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.  
IN accordance with the Articles of Association of the above-named Company, SHAREHOLDERS are hereby notified that a CALL of \$20 (Twenty Dollars) per Share is payable at the Registered Office of the above Company, No. 22, Queen's Road, Hongkong, on or before the 31st October, 1889. Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum will be charged on UNPAID CALLS from the 31st October, 1889.

Dated Hongkong, 17th October, 1889.

C. E. JONES,  
General Manager.

#### THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.  
NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL of TEN DOLLARS per Share is hereby made and is Payable at the Hongkong & Shanghai BANKING CORPORATION, at 12 o'clock (noon), on MONDAY, the 28th October, 1889.

FIVE DOLLARS per Share on the 15th November, 1889.  
FIVE DOLLARS per Share on the 15th February, 1890.  
INTEREST at the rate of 12% per annum will be charged on all CALLS unpaid on due dates.

By Order of the Board,  
J. WHEATLEY,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, October 10, 1889. 1949

#### HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

AGREEMENT of BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1888.  
SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are hereby notified that the Dividend for the year ending 31st December last, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of the PROFITS reserved for SHAREHOLDERS may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to 23rd January next, or November next, will be adjusted by the Company, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
General Managers,  
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited.  
Hongkong, October 15, 1889. 1977

## Intimations.

### HONGKONG FOOTBALL CLUB.

THE Annual MEETING for the purpose of electing the Committee's Report for the past season, and electing the Committee and Officers for the coming season, will be held in the Gymnasium of the Victoria Recreation Club on FRIDAY, the 26th October, at 4 p.m. Shareholders who wish to become Members of the Club or who take an interest in Football are invited to attend.

W. H. WALLACE,  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, October 19, 1889. 2002

### CATHAY CHAPTER, No. 1165.

A Regular CONVOCACTION of the above CHAPTER will be held in the Freemasons' Hall, Zealand Street, on FRIDAY, the 26th instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting BRETHREN are cordially invited.

Hongkong, October 19, 1889. 2006

### HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

A MATCH between A to L and M to Z will be commenced at 11 a.m. on SATURDAY, the 26th October. MEMBERS willing to play will please go their Names, either on the List lying on the Table in the Club Room or on the one in the Cricket Pavilion, on or before 4 p.m. on FRIDAY, the 25th instant.

ARTHUR K. TRAVERS,  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2023

### THE CHINESE AMUSEMENTS SYNDICATE, LIMITED.

ON Account of the weather, the OPENING DAY has been POSTPONED to SATURDAY, the 26th instant, at 2 p.m.

J. A. BARRETT,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2020

### CHAS. J. GAUFF & Co.

Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.

NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.  
VOYAGERS' CELESTIAL RHINOCLAS and TELESCOPES.  
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A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 743

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FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.  
MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG,  
Surgeon Dentist,  
(Formerly Assistant to Dr. Ross, in the T. & A. T. the urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. Ross, No. 2, DUNDRELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE.  
Discount to patients who had similar Sole Address.

2, DUNDRELL STREET.  
(Next to the New Oriental Bank).  
Hongkong, January 12, 1889. 60

### NOTICES OF FIRMS.

THE Business hitherto carried on at 'The White Horse' Queen's Road Central, under the style or title of 'GATE & FAIRALL', has This Day been dissolved by mutual consent.

E. S. GATE,  
B. FAIRALL.  
Hongkong, October 16, 1889. 1887

WITH reference to the above, the Business will in future be carried on under the style of 'GATE & Co.', who will pay and receive all accounts in connection with the old Firm.

Miss FAIRALL will continue to Manage the Dress-making Department until the 31st December next.

E. S. GATE.  
Hongkong, October 16, 1889. 1988

### NOTICE.

BY Mutual arrangement the INTEREST and SHAREHOLDERS of LAM WA SHANG in the Firm of 'FOOK MOW HONG' No. 28, Bathurst Street, started on and from the 9th instant. The BUSINESS is now being carried on as usual.

FOOK MOW HONG,  
Cotton and Cotton Yarn Merchants.  
Hongkong, October 11, 1889. 1981

### WA TEE YAT PO.

CHINESE MAIL.  
THE present issue of the Chinese Mail has expired on the 31st ultimo, after which date the interest of the present LESSEE (Mr. Ho Chuen Shao) entirely ceases. The BUSINESS is now conducted by a MOST EFFICIENT NATIVE STAFF, and Arrangements have been made which cannot fail to make the Paper in EVERY SENSE a FIRST CLASS JOURNAL.

GEO. MURRAY BAIN,  
Proprietor.  
CHINA MAIL Office,  
September 1, 1889.

## Auctions.

### PUBLIC AUCTION OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

THE Undersecretary has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the 26th October, 1889, at 2.30 p.m., at No. 10, Arbuthnot Road, the Residence of the late Hon. F. STEWART, LL.D., the whole of his HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising—  
TAPESTRY-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, Mirrors, Pictures, Blackwood Table Marble Tables, &c., &c.  
Extension Dining Table, Monococo-covered Dining-room Chairs, Glass, Chocoy and Flaxen-ware, Cutlery, Silk Sockles, Teak Book-Cases, &c.  
BED-ROOM FURNITURE, &c., &c.  
N.B.—A Special Sale of the Valuable Library will take place later on at the Undersecretary's Sales Rooms.

Catalogues will be issued, and the Furniture will be on view on Friday next.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.  
G. R. LAMBERT,  
Auctioneer.  
Hongkong, October 23, 1889. 2036

### To Let.

TO LET.  
FROM 1st November next, the HOUSE No. 2, MAGDALN TERRACE, Magazine Road, Rent \$80 a month and taxes.

Apply to  
Mr. J. J. FRANCIS,  
Bank Buildings.  
Hongkong, October 23, 1889. 2036

TO LET.  
FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.  
WELLBURN (PEAK).  
Possession from 1st November.

Apply to  
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.  
Hongkong, October 14, 1889. 1974

TO LET.  
ROOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS' No. 2, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Apply to  
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.  
Hongkong, July 8, 1889. 832

TO LET.  
2ND FLOOR OF HOUSE No. 64, and 2ND FLOOR OF HOUSE No. 68, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Apply to  
LAI HING & Co.,  
No. 153, Queen's Road Central.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1889. 1267

TO LET.  
HOUSE No. 2, 'SMITH'S VILLAS', Magazine Road, a spacious Five Rooms House, with Basement and Out-houses. Excellent view. Expected to be ready 1st August next.

Apply to  
F. BLACKHEAD & Co.  
Hongkong, July 2, 1889. 1284

### For Sale.

FOR SALE.  
AT THE PEAK.  
BROCKHURST and Surrounding LAND, comprising R. B. L. No. 1. The House which is substantially Built has recently been enlarged, and commands one of the finest Views in the Colony. The Site is sufficiently large to allow of several other Houses being built thereon.

For full Particulars, apply to  
THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.  
Hongkong, August 22, 1889. 1634

### Shipping.

#### OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.  
The Co.'s Steamship 'Oceana', Capt. HUTCHINSON, will be despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 27th instant.

Passengers for Europe desiring to proceed OVERLAND, can, on application to the Undersecretary, have their tickets endorsed for surrender at Algiers in exchange for Coupon Tickets to MARSEILLES (by Transatlantic Company's express boats), and thence to Paris or London. Alights at 23 hours steam from Marseilles, and thence to London on about the same time.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, October 23, 1889. 2-17

#### THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON.  
The Co.'s Steamship 'Mayana', Capt. J. S. HOOG, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 29th inst.

The Steamer has superior Passenger Accommodation.

For Freight, &c., apply to  
ALMHOUD, KARHRO & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, October 21, 1889. 200

#### STEAMERS.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.  
FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO.

The Co.'s Steamship 'Plover', Captain HARRIS, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 26th instant, at Daylight, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, October 22, 1889. 2019

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.  
The Steamship 'Arctura', Captain J. YESS, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 26th instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
SIEMSEN & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, October 23, 1889. 2033

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Hongkong, October 23, 1889.











